



## Longmont Public Library

409 4th Ave • 303-651-8470

Regular Hours: Mon-Thurs, 10am-9pm;  
Fri & Sat, 9am-5pm; Sun, 1-5pm  
Summer Hours: *In effect May 21 through September 8*  
Mon-Thurs, 9am-9pm;  
Fri & Sat, 9am-5pm; Sun, closed

All programs at Longmont Public Library located at 409 4th Avenue unless otherwise noted. Please visit the Library web page [www.longmontcolorado.gov/library](http://www.longmontcolorado.gov/library) for more details! Also check us out on Facebook & Twitter!

### Library Advisory Board

Cathy Balan	Nancy Carter
Katie Fuller	Deanna Hebbert
Mark Springfield	Polly Christensen, City Council liaison

## News from the Longmont Library:



### Summer Reading Kick-off Party, Wednesday, May 25, 5:30-8 pm

Join the library in saying "GOODBYE!" to another school year and "HELLO!" to summer! We'll be hosting the ultimate summer kick-off party, full of family fun. School's out, and the pool is open – just for YOU! Enjoy free entrance to Sunset Pool and discover what your Library, Rec Center, and community have in store for the summer. We'll have free give-aways, a hula hoop contest, and fun activities for the whole family. Registration is required. Please call the Library to register at (303) 651-8477.



### Summer Reading Programs for Kids and Teens, May 25 through August 5: "Get In the Game... Read!"

Once again the library will be hosting fun summer reading programs for preschoolers, elementary schoolers, and tweens/teens to encourage reading and learning retention over the summer holidays. The programs will include events and prizes. Registration begins on May 25, so get ready for a summer of fun and reading! Watch our webpage for all the details: <http://bit.ly/1WsdEr7>

### Summer Means Programs for Kids and Teens!

The summer is bursting with fun and stimulating stuff to do at the Library! Maker Mondays, Make and Take STEAM projects, Thursday morning concerts, Friday movie matinees, and Teen Tuesdays will keep the Library hopping throughout the summer. Plus, some of our best programs don't stop for the summer – they just get better! Chess Club and Lego Club meet over the summer, and our D.E.A.R. program (Dogs Enjoy Afternoon Reading) for early and/or tentative readers keeps plugging along all summer, too. Check the calendar in this catalog or head to the Library's website calendar for all the action -- <http://bit.ly/1KX2xWi>



### Summer Learning Program for Adults: "Stay Curious: Xplore!"

If you've missed out on our previous summer programs for adults, now's your chance to join in the summer fun. This summer, we'll explore the world around us, near and far, learning about different places and cultures, traveling, and adventurers. Our summer of learning will culminate with a Geography Bee for Grown-Ups! So dig out your passport and get ready to travel the world at your library! Watch our webpage for all the details: <http://bit.ly/1KX2IX2>

### Need Vacation Reading? We've Got You Covered!

Whether you prefer eReading or the feel of pages under your fingertips, we have all the bestsellers for your beach (or mountain) vacation. Load up your tablet with eBooks, eAudiobooks, or eMagazines, FREE with your library card. No need to even stop by and see us – just head to our website at <http://bit.ly/1YRVG4q>. Or come for a visit and walk out with an armload of great reading to pass the hours traveling or relaxing this summer, including books on CD for road trips and plane flights. Not sure what to read next? Check out our Staff Picks webpage (<http://bit.ly/1PjW2wh>), or let our librarian wizards find your next favorite book through our Pick a Book for Me webpage (<http://bit.ly/1MeSXMV>). Why buy when you can borrow? Check this one off your list and get packing!



### Learning Spanish? Join in our "¡Hablemos! Let's Talk" group, Thursdays, 5:30-6:30 pm

Come practice with others who are language learners, too! Help your Spanish-speaking neighbors practice their English while they help you polish your Spanish. This is a no-pressure, all-fun environment for all ages, but is best for those with at least an intermediate level of Spanish and English.

### The Library Festival is BACK! And it's moved to the Autumn! September 7 - 11

To celebrate the fifth anniversary of our beloved library festival, we'll be embracing a Western theme and offering five events between September 7 – 11, 2016. As usual, the wonderful anthology of stories by local authors will be published, and the bustling authors' open house will be held. Also, this year's festival will be extra special, as we welcome Craig Johnson, author of the popular *Longmire* series, to Longmont to celebrate with us! Watch our Library Festival webpage at <http://bit.ly/20TRmBu> for information about anthology submissions, festival events, and event registration. Polish your cowboy boots and get ready for a rip-roarin' time at the library.